

IN THE CLAIMS

Kindly cancel claims 1-8 and 14-18 without prejudice.

Claims 1-8 cancelled.

9. (Original) A video receiver comprising:
an input for receiving content and a plurality of information items regarding the content;
a plurality of individual user profiles each defining preferences of a respective individual user; and
a recommender adapted to selectively employ two or more of the plurality of individual user profiles in combination when evaluating the information items to generate content suggestions.

10. (Original) The video receiver according to claim 9, wherein the recommender employs the two or more individual user profiles in combination by averaging ratings for each rated attribute within the two or more individual user profiles.

11. (Original) The video receiver according to claim 9, wherein the recommender employs the two or more individual user profiles in combination by:

applying limits within only one of the two or more individual user profiles when searching for content suggestions;

weighting ratings for each rated attribute within one of the two or more individual user profiles greater than corresponding ratings within remaining individual user profiles from the two or more individual user profiles; or

weighting ratings for selected rated attributes within each of the two or more individual user profiles greater than ratings for remaining rated attributes within each of the two or more individual user profiles.

12. (Original) The video receiver according to claim 9, wherein the recommender is adapted to selectively employ group profiles defined as a combination of two or more of the plurality of individual user profiles by employing the two or more individual user profiles in combination when evaluating the information items to generate content suggestions.

13. (Original) The video receiver according to claim 9, wherein at least one of the two or more individual user profiles employed in combination when evaluating the information items to generate content suggestions is retrieved from another system.

Claims 14-18 cancelled.

19. (Original) A signal comprising:
a listing of content suggestions relating to content
and a plurality of information items regarding the content,
wherein two or more of a plurality of individual
user profiles each defining preferences of a respective
individual user are selectively employed in combination when
evaluating the information items to generate the listing of
content suggestions.

20. (Original) The signal according to claim 19, wherein the two or more individual user profiles are employed in combination by averaging ratings for each rated attribute within the two or more individual user profiles.

21. (Original) The signal according to claim 19, wherein the two or more individual user profiles are employed in combination by:

applying limits within only one of the two or more individual user profiles when searching for content suggestions;

weighting ratings for each rated attribute within one of the two or more individual user profiles greater than corresponding ratings within remaining individual user profiles from the two or more individual user profiles; or

weighting ratings for selected rated attributes within each of the two or more individual user profiles greater than ratings for remaining rated attributes within each of the two or more individual user profiles.

22. (Original) The signal according to claim 19, wherein group profiles defined as two or more of the plurality of individual user profiles employed in combination are utilized when evaluating the information items to generate the listing of content suggestions.

23. (Original) The signal according to claim 19, wherein at least one of the two or more individual user profiles employed in combination when evaluating the information items to generate content suggestions is retrieved from a remote system.